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SPATIALLY VARYING POLARIZATION

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the final Office action mailed October 27, 2009 by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified Application. A response to the October 27, 2009 final Office Action is due January 27, 2010. Accordingly, this paper is being timely filed.

Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.